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Response to Office Action;

Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate);

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [X] a Response to Office Action; [X] a Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate); [X] a check in the amount of \$9.00; and [X] a check in the amount of \$985.00; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [] A fee for additional claims is not required.
- [X] A fee for additional claims is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- [X] A check in the amount of \$9.00 in payment of the filing fee is transmitted herewith.
- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- [] Please charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the filing fee. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

EXTENSION FEE

[X] The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [] \$55.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$205.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$465.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$725.00 extension fee for response within

fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a); [X] \$985.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

- [X] A check in the amount of [] \$55.00; [] \$205.00;
 [] \$465.00; [] \$725.00; [X] \$985.00; in payment of the
 extension fee is transmitted herewith.
- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
- [] Please charge the [] \$55.00; [] \$205.00; [] \$465.00; [] \$725.00; [] \$985.00; extension fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This responds to the November 22, 2002 Office Action in the above-identified application. Applicant has filed concurrently herewith a Petition for a five-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action and has paid the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(a)(5). With the extension, the time for response is extended up to and including May 22, 2003.

Please amend the application as follows:

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